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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re Applicant: William J. Brinkley, III) PATENTS
Serial No. 10/691,049) Examiner: Ridley, Basia Anna
Filed: Oct. 23, 2003) GAU: 1764
Title: Method and Apparatus for Generating)
Hydrogen Gas on Demand from Water with) Customer No. 000051380
Recovery of Water and Complete Recycling of)
Consumable Material) Confirmation Number: 6094
) Atty Dkt: 7377-P

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents

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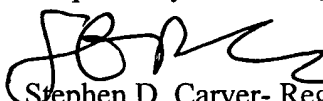
Dear Sirs:

A. Introductory Comments

This Election/Restriction responds to an Office Action mailed to Applicant's counsel on September 29, 2006, and it has been timely filed under the Certificate of Mailing Procedure established by 37 C.F.R. § 1.8.

The Examiner stated that claims 1-14 were drawn to an apparatus, classified in class 48 and subclass 61, and claims 15-20 were drawn to a method, classified in class 423 and subclass 657. Applicant hereby elects claims 15-20 drawn to the method without traverse.

Respectfully submitted,


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